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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Examiner has required a Restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to Claims 2-13 (Group I), Claims 14-18 (Group II), or Claims 19-21 (Group III). Applicant has elected claims 2-13 to be examined and has withdrawn Claims 14-21, without disclaimer and without prejudice. Claim 1 was previously canceled without disclaimer and without prejudice. In addition, the elected Claim 9 and the withdrawn Claims 15, 17 and 19 have been amended to correct typographical errors.

It is respectfully requested that the foregoing amendment be entered prior to examination.

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